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# Forty-fourth Annual Report

of the

# Henry Watson Children's Aid Society

of Baltimore

# 1904

OFFICE OF THE SOCIETY
FEDERATED CHARITIES BUILDING
101 W. SARATOGA STREET

FORTY-FOURTH ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

# HENRY WATSON

# CHILDREN'S AID SOCIETY

OF

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"Anything that touches the life of children, that deals with the beginning of life, cannot help being hopeful. It is as if you should drop something into the fountain which should rush on in the stream and go into the fields and make them richer. It is a joy to do something which shall not merely touch the present, but shall reach forward to the future."

"He who helps a child helps humanity, with a distinctness which no other help given to human creatures can possibly give."

—PHILLIPS BROOKS.

FOSNOT, WILLIAMS & CO., BALTIMORE

## Aims of the Children's Aid Society.

To have up-to-date information on all matters of importance touching the welfare of destitute or neglected children.

To co-operate effectively with other charitable agencies.

To try to improve the condition of each child WITHIN ITS HOME, and to prevent the separation of families as far as is consistent with the welfare of the children.

To give each child that has to be taken from its natural home real family life.

## METHODS.

The Society investigates cases reported to it of destitute children, advises or refers them to proper charities, if they cannot be aided in their own homes, and accepts them as wards if it is absolutely necessary. It also accepts as wards those children of degenerate parents, that are committed to it by the court.

The Placing-out Agency—after making careful investigation of the home, places children in families, chiefly in the country under careful supervision. It also finds temporary boarding homes for children in the country, when the parents or some other society can assure the board.

Home Libraries are placed in the homes of children in poor neighborhoods, with the purpose of keeping the family together, of encouraging good reading and home amusements.

Ten children under a child librarian and a volunteer visitor meet weekly in the living-room of the librarian's family.

# BOARD OF MANAGERS.

## 1904-1905.

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*Visiting Physician.*

DR. GEORGE B. REYNOLDS.

## HONORARY COUNSEL.

GEORGE G. CAREY, JAMES PIPER.

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## VISITORS FOR THE HOME LIBRARIES.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Miss Phoebe M. Bryant, | Mrs. H. C. Jones, | Miss Beulah Regester, |
| Miss Boswell, | Miss Grace Keech, | Miss Louise Robinson, |
| Mrs. R. I. Carswell, | Miss Nola McKinney, | Mr. J. W. Shaefer, |
| Miss Nellye Lee Detrick, | Mrs. Oliver Matthews, | Miss Mary Shoemaker, |
| Miss Ann George, | Miss Mabel Miller, | Miss May Spencer, |
| Miss Charlotte Glenn, | Miss M. T. Osmond, | Miss Edith Stabler, |
| Mrs. H. M. Grady, | Miss Margaret Otto, | Miss Fanny Turnbull, |
| Mrs. Herbert L. Day, | Miss Caroline Penniman, | The Misses Tuxbury |
| Miss May A. Henry, | Mrs. Gilbert Porter, | Mrs. Whitehead. |

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## OFFICE OF SOCIETY.

*Federated Charities Building, 101 W. Saratoga Street.*

*General Secretary.*
MISS ANNA E. RUTHERFORD

*Visiting Agents.*
MISS ANTOINETTE MOORES,
MISS ANNIE KERR SPALDING.

*Visitor and Collector.*
MISS NELLYE LEE DETRICK.

*Clerk.*
JOHN ECKSTORM.

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*Linden House, 1205 Linden Avenue.*

*Matron.*
MISS MARY DUVALL.

## TABULATED REPORT FOR THE YEAR'S WORK.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Children in free country homes, October 31st, 1903 | 335 | |
| " Linden House, October 31st, 1903 | 10 | |
| " country homes on wages, October 31st, 1903 | 9 | |
| " boarding homes, October 31st, 1903 | 5 | (359) |
| " homes of friends on probation, October 31st, 1903 | 11 | |
| " members of Home Library groups, October 31st, 1903 | 220 | |
| Total number of children under oversight of the Society, October 31st, 1903 | | 590 |

### DURING THE YEAR ENDING OCTOBER 31st, 1904.

| | | |
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| Discharged to relatives or other agencies | 48 | |
| Became of age | 28 | |
| Died | 1 | |
| Ran away and not recovered | 2 | |
| Total discharged from care of Society | | 79 |
| Received from parents | 63 | |
| " " magistrates | 38 | |
| " " institutions | 9 | |
| Total number received | | 110 |
| Children in free country homes, October 31st, 1904 | 351 | |
| " Linden House, October 31st, 1904 | 12 | |
| " country homes on wages, October 31st, 1904 | 5 | |
| " boarding homes, October 31st, 1904 | 12 | (380) |
| " homes of friends on probation, October 31st, 1904 | 21 | |
| " institutions (visited by C. A. S.), October 31st, 1904 | 36 | |
| " members of Home Libraries, October 31st, 1904 | 220 | |
| Total number of children under oversight of the Society, October 31st, 1904 | | 657 |

Total number of children received since organization of Society ..... 3,479

Total number of children placed in homes ..... 3,017

### IN 1903-1904 CHILDREN WERE PLACED IN THE FOLLOWING INSTITUTIONS.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Home of the Friendless | 3 | Bay View Asylum | 1 |
| School for Feeble Minded | 4 | Md. University Hospital | 1 |
| Female House of Refuge | 1 | Md. General Hospital | 1 |
| St. Mary's Orphan Asylum | 1 | Union Protestant Infirmary | 5 |
| St. Vincent's Orphan Asylnm | 1 | St. Joseph's Hospital | 1 |
| National Junior Republic | 1 | Nursery and Child's Hospital | 2 |
| House of Good Shepherd | 3 | St. Mary's Industrial School | 2 |

# REPORT OF THE GENERAL SECRETARY

*For the Year Ending October 31, 1904.*

At this Forty-fourth Annual Meeting of the Henry Watson Children's Aid Society we are glad to bring to those interested in children a report of increased work well done. One hundred and ten new children have come to us as wards and, after spending a short time in the Linden House, have been sent to country homes. Sixty-three of the children were brought to us by their parents or friends, and none were accepted until it was clearly proven to be the best thing for the child. Thirty-eight were sent by magistrates because of lack of proper guardians and nine came to us from institutions.

The homes in the country are carefully selected, and after the child is placed, visited twice each year to see that satisfactory conditions continue, that the child gets to school and church regularly, and that his physical condition remains good. Frequently children need to be removed on account of the changed conditions of the home itself; foster father or mother may die, objectionable people come into the near neighborhood or the family may move into a new neighborhood distant from schools. More frequently the children come back to us after two months or even a year's trial because they are not satisfactory; they have unfortunate habits with which the family cannot cope and it is better for them to be placed in a different home. During the past year we have placed 105 children for the first time, 12 for the second, 2 for the third, and 1 for the fourth. We have also allowed 29 children to return to their parents or friends, who have become able to care for them, sent 4 to the school for feeble-minded at Owings Mills, 8 to institutions for young children, either because they needed special care or because there were objections to their going to the country permanently, 1 to the National Junior Republic and 6 to reformatories. The most of the children who went to institutions could have been kept in private homes had we had the money to pay for special treatment. We now have 380 children in country homes, 12 of these are boarding and 5 are on wages.

Until the children are 16 years of age we require for them four and one-half months' schooling each year. To really get

this requires constant watchfulness. The foster parents want the children to have it, but in many instances do not see the importance of starting them in at the opening of school, and then bad roads or sickness keeps them at home and the school term ends without the child having had full time. Our visitors have made a special point of school attendance the past two years and the results are better.

*Home Libraries.* Our Home Library department has never been in a more healthful condition. During the winter we had 30 groups, and the attendance at most of them was good. This summer all the cases were called in and the books thoroughly gone over; 200 were mended and quite a number were thrown out as past repair. 89 new books came in in answer to an appeal. Two of our managers and one of our visitors, who made a special study of Home Library work in Boston and at the Summer School in Philanthrophy in New York this year, have rearranged the books, and already 19 cases have gone out. If our visitors will realize the far-reaching importance of their work and study to make the books not only a pleasure to the children, but also an inspiration to better living and helpfulness to others, our library department will rank with our placing-out department in usefulness.

At Christmas time our friends made it possible for us to give a party at the Linden House to the Home Library Children, and in the summer one of our managers invited them all to his beautiful place in the country, where the children had a most charming time with straw rides, boats, swings, see-saws and all the other things that make a day in the country beautiful to children.

In connection with this library work, the General Secretary would like to tell the friends of children whom this report may reach of a plan she heard this summer, which seemed to her a very good one for all concerned. Parents who wish to have their own children share some of their good things with other children less fortunate, may get the names and addresses of children placed in homes in the country, and each week or each month have them send on the paper or magazine which has come to them. This paper, coming in the country child's own name, would be eagerly watched for and add much to the pleasure of the whole household and would be an education in more ways than one to the city child who faithfully sent it.

*The Linden House.* To this House, at 1205 Linden Avenue, came the 110 new children and the 60 who have been returned, or who have been there in order to get special medical treatment. Our matrons from the first gives them the feeling that here they have friends, and any one seeing the happy faces would know the children realized it. The average number at the House has been 12. Regular instruction in books was difficult to obtain for them, as their ages were so varied and they were in the House such a short time, but during the whole of last winter we had a teacher for them for two hours each day. We felt this a great advantage and hope to make the same arrangement again.

This summer an agreement was entered into with the School Board by which we give them the use of a part of the Linden House for a Parental School, where truant boys may be committed for the school term and given special instruction.

The School Board provides the teacher and pays the watchman, but the matron of the Children's Aid Society is responsible for the care of the boys out of school hours. She mothers them and through the kindly but firm influence of the House, helps to teach them a wholesome respect for law.

We can only accomodate ten at any one time, but the certainty that at some time or other, separation from home and friends will come, if the school attendance laws are not obeyed, keeps many a boy in school. The School Board has nicely fitted out the school room with desks and appliances for manuel training and has placed an experienced teacher in charge, and we think there is good reason to believe the Parental School will be one of the good restraining influences of the city, which will help work out the salvation of many children.

*Bureau of Information.* Since moving into our new quarters in the Federated Charities Building, we have had more room and have been able to more satisfactorily see applicants at the office. The Society holds itself ready to investigate all cases of children that come to it and help in so far as it can, either by directing to the proper charities or by helping people to help themselves. During the past year our advice has been asked touching 258 children (this does not include the home libraries), 110 were accepted as wards and the others cared for either by their own friends or by the proper

charities. A record card is kept for each one that applies, and for each of our wards a full record is kept from the time they come to us.

*Some Conditions This Society Should Meet.*

All of this work, so far as it goes, is good. We are able to help the strong, healthy child, the attractive child, and through the Parental School, even the disobedient, truant child. The very ill child we can always find hospital treatment for, but for the poor, little, dull, unattractive or delicate child there is no place, and many times all that child needs to develop him into a normal, useful man is proper loving surroundings. The thing the Society needs to make it able to meet this condition is money to pay board for such children—to pay whatever is necessary to keep them in the right place, where all that is good and lovely in them can be developed, and where they can be given special instruction, if need be, until they can enter school on a par with other children.

There are plenty of good homes in Maryland ready to take these children and do what we ask for them, but they cannot afford to do it week after week free of charge.

There is another great class of children who need temporary care—father and mother ill, or one or the other dead. Any one who has seen the home sickness of children when taken away from their own, would agree that brothers and sisters should be kept together when possible. The Children's Aid Society can find boarding homes where the whole family can go for from $1.50 to $2.50 each per week.

Let us have some place in Baltimore where children can be kept together in families and the natural love of brothers and sisters fostered, and not be obliged to put all under four in one institution, all between two and eight in another, and almost no place for all over twelve.

We wish to thank the Charity Organization Society, the Association for Improving the Condition of the Poor, the Society for Protection of Children for their hearty co-operation; and the Maryland University, the Maryland General and St. Joseph's Hospitals, the Union Protestant Infirmany and the Dispensaries of the Johns Hopkins Hospitals, the Garrett Hospital and the Baltimore Eye, Ear and Throat Hospital for the care they have

given our sick children; and also the Baltimore and Ohio, the Western Maryland, the Maryland and Pennsylvania Railroad, the Weems Line and the Chesapeake Steamship Company for special rates given our agents when visiting our wards.

ANNA E. RUTHERFORD,

*General Secretary.*

# TREASURER'S REPORT.

## *For the Year Ending, October 31st, 1904.*

EDGAR G. MILLER, JR., *Treasurer*, in account with THE HENRY WATSON CHILDREN'S AID SOCIETY OF BALTIMORE

| DR. | |
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| October 31st, 1904. | |
| To Balance of Cash on hand | $1,046 28 |
| To Interest on Investments | 4,602 70 |
| To Subscriptions for 1904 | 2,188 75 |
| To Board of Children | 34 50 |
| To Visit of Wards to Home of Friendless in Country Homes | 42 00 |
| | $7,914 23 |

| CR. | | |
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| October 31st, 1904. | | |
| By Expenses of Office, viz.: | | |
| Salaries of General Secretary, Two Visiting Agents, Collector, etc. | $2,604 96 | |
| Rent, Telephone and Light | 216 19 | |
| Printing, Stationery, Postage and Incidentals | 446 63 | |
| Furniture | 120 25 | |
| Repairs | 24 30 | |
| | | $3,412 33 |
| By Expenses of Linden House, viz.: | | |
| Salaries and Wages of Matron and Employees | 768 00 | |
| Provisions | 949 10 | |
| Light and Heat | 270 96 | |
| Furnishing House and Replacements | 254 13 | |
| Repairs | 224 09 | |
| Incidentals | 148 85 | |
| | | 2,615 13 |
| Clothing, Medicines, etc. | | 765 73 |
| Traveling Expenses in Visiting the Wards of the Society | | 905 00 |
| Rent of Box in Trust Company | | 7 50 |
| Home Library Account, repairing books | | 30 00 |
| Balance of Receipts on Hand | | 178 54 |
| | | $7,914 23 |

# TREASURER'S REPORT.

## BOARD OF SPECIAL CHILDREN.

| Dr. | | Cr. | |
|---|---|---|---|
| To Balance from last year | $140 65 | By Cash paid for Board of 28 children | $640 34 |
| To Amount received from Parents and Friends | 328 34 | By Cash for Clothing, Braces and Shoes | 55 88 |
| To Amount received from Charity Organization Society | 362 40 | By Cash Balance on hand | 140 02 |
| To Interest on Account | 4 85 | | |
| | $836 24 | | $836 24 |

# SUBSCRIPTIONS

## *For the Year Ending October 31st, 1904.*

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| Abercrombie, David | $2 00 | Bliss, Mrs. W. J. A. | 5 00 |
| Adams, Mrs. R. | 1 00 | Bloodgood, Dr. Joseph C. | 5 00 |
| Adler, Charles | 2 00 | Blum, Philip | 2 00 |
| Adler, Mrs. S. J. | 1 00 | Boericke & Tafel | 1 00 |
| Adt, John B. | 1 00 | Boggs, Mrs. F. Henry | 3 00 |
| Ahren, Mrs. G. A. | 2 00 | Bolton, Frank C. | 2 00 |
| Ahrens, Thos. G | 2 00 | Bonaparte, Charles, J. | 10 00 |
| Albaugh, E. W. & Son | 1 00 | Bond, Mrs Nicholas P. | 2 00 |
| Alstrom & Co | 1 00 | Bond, Thomas | 1 00 |
| Ambler, James M. | 10 00 | Bonday, James, Jr., & Co. | 5 00 |
| Ames, J. S | 1 00 | Boring, John T. | 3 00 |
| Anderson & Ireland | 2 00 | Bowman, Henry C. | 1 00 |
| Appold, Lemuel T. | 10 00 | Brager, Albert A | 5 00 |
| Armstrong, Cator & Co. | 3 00 | Brantly, Wm. T. | 1 00 |
| Arnes, Miss A. M | 3 00 | Brenan, Mrs. M. S. | 1 00 |
| Arnes, Mrs. Henry | 5 00 | Broderick, D. J. | 3 00 |
| Arnes, Miss R. E. | 3 00 | Brown, Arthur George | 5 00 |
| Arnold, F. & Sons | 1 00 | Brown, Mrs. H. Carroll | 100 00 |
| Ashburner, Charles H. | 2 00 | Brown, Mrs. George Wm. | 5 00 |
| Atkinson, Dr. I. E. | 2 00 | Brown, Robert D. | 5 00 |
| Atkinson, Miss Louisa D. | 2 50 | Brune, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. | 25 00 |
| Atlantic Furniture Co. | 1 00 | Buck, Miss M. C. | 2 00 |
| Atwood, W. O. | 1 00 | Buckler, Mrs. H. Warren. | 1 00 |
| Bagby, Charles T. | 5 00 | Buckler, Mr. & Mrs. Wm. H. | 15 00 |
| Baily, James & Son | 2 00 | Burger, Fred. G | 1 00 |
| Balch, Mrs. Geo. B. | 1 00 | Burrough, Horace | 5 00 |
| Ball, Miss Alice W. | 3 00 | Burton, Mrs. Julia M. | 1 00 |
| Bamberger, Elkan | 3 00 | Carey, James Jr. | 5 00 |
| Bamberger, Julius | 1 00 | Carey, Mrs. James Jr. | 15 00 |
| Barnes, J. M. T. | 3 00 | Carroll, Mrs. Albert H. | 5 00 |
| Bartlett, E. L. | 5 00 | Carson, Thos. E. | 1 00 |
| Baugh & Sons | 2 00 | Carter, Miss Alice A. | 1 00 |
| Bealmear, H. | 5 00 | Carter, Bernard | 5 00 |
| Beasten, Mrs. Charles, Jr. | 3 00 | Cary, John R. | 10 00 |
| Bennett, B. F | 3 00 | Cary, Mrs. W. Miles | 5 00 |
| Bennett, Edwin | 5 00 | Casey, Henry V. | 3 00 |
| Benzinger, Harry M. | 1 00 | Cash | 2 00 |
| Bergland, Mrs. Eric | 5 00 | Cash | 1 00 |
| Bibb Stove Co., The B. C. | 2 00 | Cash | 5 00 |
| Black, H. Crawford | 10 00 | Cash | 5 00 |
| Blankfard, Mrs. J. | 5 00 | Cash | 1 00 |

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Cassard, Louis J..... 2 00
Cassell, C. E..... 5 00
Cator, Mrs. Franklin P..... 5 00
Chandlee, H. P., Sons & Co. 1 00
Chew, Misses A. & H..... 2 00
Chisolm, Dr. Francis M..... 5 00
Clark, Wm. Bullock..... 5 00
Clark, Mrs. Wm. Bullock... 2 00
Clendenin, Joseph..... 5 00
Coale, Miss Elizabeth B.... 2 00
Coale, Wm. Ellis..... 1 00
Cochran, Wm. F., Jr.,.....100 00
Cook, John..... 1 00
Cooper, Miss H. F..... 5 00
Corkran, Mrs. B. W..... 3 00
Corning, A. J..... 1 00
Cromwell, Mrs. Kennedy... 3 00
Cross, Mrs. E. J. D..... 2 00
Cullen, Dr. Thos. S..... 5 00
Cumberland Coal Co..... 5 00
Cushing, Miss Annie..... 1 00
Dalsheimer, Mrs. Simon... 3 00
Dannenberg, Miss Rosa.... 3 00
Davidson, F. H & Co..... 1 00
Davis, Miss Mary D..... 1 00
Denegre, Mrs. John..... 1 50
Denhard, Fred'k..... 1 00
D—, L. F..... 25 00
Dickey, Miss..... 5 00
Dietrich Bros..... 2 00
Dill, Lewis & Co..... 5 00
Dixon, Mrs. Wm. A..... 1 00
Dobbin, Mrs. Isabel L..... 1 00
Dobler, Mudge & Co..... 5 00
Doeplitz, Edw..... 1 00
Dolfield, A. Y..... 1 00
Downs, James H..... 1 00
Duker, Mrs. Henry P..... 1 00
Duker, J. Edw..... 5 00
Dunn, C. Irvin..... 1 00
Dunn, J. B..... 2 00
Eaton, Miss Mary M..... 10 00
Eidman, H. D. & Bro..... 1 00
Eilan, Dr. E. W..... 1 00
Eisenberg, A..... 1 00
Eisenbrandt, W. A..... 1 00
Ellicott, Miss Pricilla..... 1 00
Emerson Drug Co..... 10 00
England, Charles..... 5 00
Evans Marble Co..... 5 00
Fallon, Wm. A..... 2 00
Fassig, Oliver L..... 2 00
Feldner, Fred. W..... 1 00
Felgner, E. L..... 3 00
Fidelity & Deposit Co..... 5 00
Field, Charles W..... 5 00
Field, Dr. F. N..... 1 00
Findlay, Mrs. J. V. L..... 2 00
Finney, Dr. J. M. T..... 10 00
Fisher, Charles D..... 50 00
Fisher, Mrs. Wm. A..... 10 00
Fitzgerald, Mr. & Mrs. Chas. 22 00
Flynn & Emrich Co..... 1 00
Foster Bros.' Mnfg Co..... 5 00
Foster, Mrs. Reuben..... 2 00
Fowler, Mrs. de G. B..... 2 00
Frank, Mrs. Samuel L..... 5 00
Frick, Wm. F..... 10 00
Friend..... 10 00
Friend..... 1 00
Fuld, Manes..... 2 00
Gail, Mrs. G. W..... 5 00
Gamble, Dr. Cary B..... 1 00
Gambrill Manfg Co..... 5 00
Gault, W. A..... 1 00
Gernand, Edw. L..... 1 00
Gibbons, Cardinal James... 5 00
Gibson, Misses M. E. & K.. 2 00
Gilman, Miss Alice..... 5 00
Gilman, Miss Elizabeth.... 25 00
Gilpin, Mrs. Henry B..... 10 00
Glenn, John M..... 25 00
Goddard, H. P..... 1 00
Goldenberg, Mrs. M..... 1 00
Goldsborough, Charles, Jr., 5 00
Gosnell, Mrs. Frank..... 5 00
Gottlieb, Bauernschmidt, Straus Brewing Co..... 25 00
Green, Mrs. Charles..... 1 00
Greenbaum, Leon..... 2 00
Griffin, Edw H..... 2 00
Griffith's Sons, Chas..... 1 00
Griffith, Turner & Co..... 1 00
Gutman, Miss Helen..... 1 00
Gutman, Mrs. Joel..... 3 00

Gutman, Joel & Co..... 5 00
Hall, Mrs. John W..... 1 00
Hanna, Benj. S..... 1 00
Hardware Supply Co..... 2 00
Harper, Mrs. C. A..... 1 00
Harris, W. Hall..... 3 00
Hartman, Miss Pamela..... 1 00
Hartwig & Kemper..... 5 00
Harvey, Mrs. Rosa A..... 5 00
Haupt, Dr. Paul..... 2 00
Haydock, Miss Sarah G.... 1 00
Hayne, Daniel H..... 5 00
Heighe, J. M..... 1 00
Heineman, Mrs. Samuel.... 1 00
Hemmeter, Dr. John C..... 1 00
Hennegen, Bates & Co..... 5 00
Hill, Thos..... 5 00
Hill, Charles E..... 5 00
Hochschild, Kohn & Co.... 5 00
Holt, Miss E..... 5 00
Homer, Charles C..... 5 00
Hopper, Daniel W... ..... 5 00
Horn, Geo. G..... 10 00
Horn, Mrs. Marianna..... 1 00
Howard, Mrs. Chas. McH.. 5 00
Howard, John D..... 10 00
Hunt, Germon H..... 5 00
Hunting, E. B... ..... . 10 00
Hurst, Mrs. Wm. B..... 5 00
Hurlbert & Hurlbert..... 2 50
Hutton, Mrs. C. M..... 5 00
Hutzler Bros..... ..... 5 00
Hyde, George W..... 2 00
Hynson, Westcott & Co.... 5 00
Jacobs, Wm. & Son..... 1 00
Jackson, George S..... 5 00
James, Miss Amelia..... 10 00
Jenck's, Mrs. Elizabeth P... 10 00
Jenkins Bros..... 5 00
Jenkins, Mrs. J. Stricker... 2 00
Johnson, J. S. Co..... 5 00
Johnston, Mrs. Josiah Lee.. 5 00
Joseph, Lyman C..... 25 00
Kalkman, Chas..... 5 00
Keidel, Mrs. Charles..... 5 00
Keidel, Henry & Co..... 5 00
Kernan, James L... ..... 5 00
Keyser, R. Brent..... 25 00
Kirk, Samuel E..... 1 00
Kirk, W. R..... 1 00
Klein, Miss S. S..... 1 00
Knabe, Wm. & Co..... ... 5 00
Koppelmann, Charles H.... 5 00
Kraft, Mrs. Marie T..... 1 00
Kraus, Mrs. H ..... 1 00
Kurtz, John B..... 2 00
Lacy, Benj..... 5 00
Ladies' Relief Society of the Associate Congregational Church..... 5 00
Lanahan, Wm..... 5 00
Lawford, Jasper M..... 5 00
Lawrence, A. F., Coal Co... 2 00
LeMoyne, J. V..... 30 00
Lemmon, J. Southgate..... 2 00
Levering, Eugene..... .... 2 00
Levi, Jacob..... 2 00
Levi, Mrs. Rebecca ..... 1 00
Levy, Wm..... 5 00
Lilly, Alonzo..... 2 00
Lloyd, A. P ..... 2 00
Loewy Drug Co ..... 1 00
Lowenstein, Mrs. Carrie.... 1 00
Lowenstein, Mrs. David.... 2 00
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